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DISCOVERY OF TROTSKYITE LEAFLETS (1945)

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To SERGEJ. [1]

At the beginning of June leaflets of the "POLEGATS [KHOR'KI]" [ii] which had been printed during the war were found at SAN FRANCISCO on the steamer "AZERBAJDZHAN". The reactionary element of the white emigrés in SAN FRANCISCO expect in the near future a great [14 groups unrecovered] through "RITA" [iii], "LEV" [iv] and [8 groups unrecovered] PROBATIONERS [STAZHERY] in SAN FRANCISCO [1 group unrecovered] distribution of leaflets in SAN FRANCISCO [6 groups unrecovered]. Report what you know about the group [1 group unrecovered] in SAN FRANCISCO [8 groups unrecovered] POLEGATS.

No. 4552

VIKTOR [v]

Comments: [i] SERGEJ : Vladimir PRAVDIN.
 [ii] POLEGATS: Trotskyites.
 [iii] RITA : Frank JACKSON, alias Jacques MORELARD.
 [iv] LEV : Unidentified cover-name.
 [v] VIKTOR : Lt. Gen. P. M. FITIN.

Distribution